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CONTROL OF AN ELECTRICALLY HEATED PRE-HEATING DEVICE FOR COLD-STARTING INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES								
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US  Peter JOPPIG, et al.								
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